

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**DI-5654 (112713-021)**

In Re Application Of: **S. Reddell et al.**

Serial No.  
**09/689,508**

Filing Date  
**October 12, 2000**

Examiner  
**Ann Y. Lam**

Group Art Unit  
**1641**

Invention: **PERITONEAL DIALYSIS CATHETERS**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **12/31/03** above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: **March 31, 2004**    until: **May 31, 2004**  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$420** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**

*Signature*

Dated: **May 28, 2004**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on **May 28, 2004** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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